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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**PROGRAMMABLE SELECTIVE BROADCASTING RECEPTION SYSTEM, BROADCASTING APPARATUS,
AND RECEPTION APPARATUS**

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 - a. ☒ Descriptive Title of the Invention
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 - c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
 - d. ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix (if applicable)
 - e. ☒ Background of the Invention
 - f. ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
 - g. ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
 - h. ☒ Detailed Description
 - i. ☒ Claim(s) as Classified Below
 - j. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure

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3. ☒ Drawing(s) (when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)
- a. ☒ Formal Number of Sheets 6
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The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied
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6. ☐ Computer Program in Microfiche (Appendix)
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all must be included)
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Accompanying Application Parts

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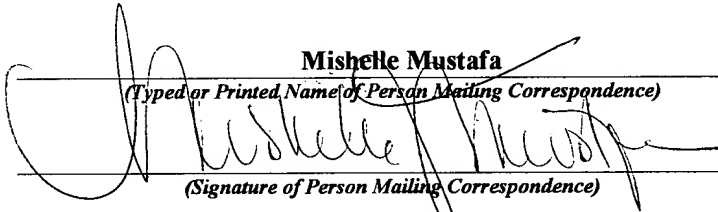
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) rules, the applicant is required to disclose all information, including prior art references, which may be considered material to the patentability of the claims. Pursuant to your instructions, we have prepared and filed an Information Disclosure Statement citing the references in the specification.

Please forward any prior art references of which you or the inventors may be aware. If any of these references are not in English, an English translation, if readily available, an English language summary of the pertinent portions or an English language abstract of any such reference would be appreciated.

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